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**PATENT APPLICATION**

Attorney Docket No.: 108961.01

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

In re the Application of

Jean-Noel THOREL

Group Art Unit: 1654

Application No.: 10/006,389

Examiner: S. Coe

Filed: December 6, 2001

For: COSMETIC PRODUCTS COMPATIBLE WITH CUTANEOUS ECOLOGY AND METHOD FOR  
THEIR USE (AS AMENDED)

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.  
 Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(Column 2) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(Column 3) PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL CLAIMS	*27 MINUS	**22	= 5
INDEP CLAIMS	*2 MINUS	***3	= 0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			

SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADD'L FEE
x 9	\$
x 42	\$
+140	\$
	\$

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
OR	RATE	ADD'L FEE
	x 18	\$ 90.00
	x 84	\$
OR	+280	\$
		\$ 90.00

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Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
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Sir:

In reply to the December 31, 2002 Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 4 and 17 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please replace claims 5, 15, 16 and 20 as follows:

5. (Amended) The composition according to claim 1, wherein a major portion of said composition consists of one or more constitutive components of skin.

15. (Amended) The composition according to claim 1, wherein said composition does not comprise any excipient or vehicle.

16. (Amended) The composition according to claim 1, wherein each constituent is selected from the group consisting of:

(a) substantially cytocompatible and/or bioassimilable components present in constitutional form in the skin;

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